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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated May 26, 2010, concerning the above-referenced patent application. As the shortened statutory reply period expires on August 26, 2010, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

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